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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Dennis W. WAHR et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3763  
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Serial No.: 09/845,162 ) Examiner: Unknown  
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Filed: May 1, 2001 )  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**PETITION TO AMEND INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

Applicants hereby petition to amend inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a).

The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is submitted herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the following named inventor be added to the instant application: Michael Berman. In the "Statement of Inventor" filed with this Petition, Michael Berman states that his name was inadvertently omitted from the previously filed documents in the instant application without deceptive intention on his part.

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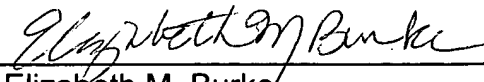
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Respectfully submitted,

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